

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re PATENT APPLICATION OF:
FERRARI et al.
Application Serial No.: To be assigned
Title: **A MACHINE TOOL**

Attorney Docket: 2545-0439
Group Art Unit: To be assigned
Examiner: To be assigned
Date: February 9, 2004

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Hon. Commissioner of Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

Please preliminarily amend the subject application as follows prior to fee calculation
and examination: